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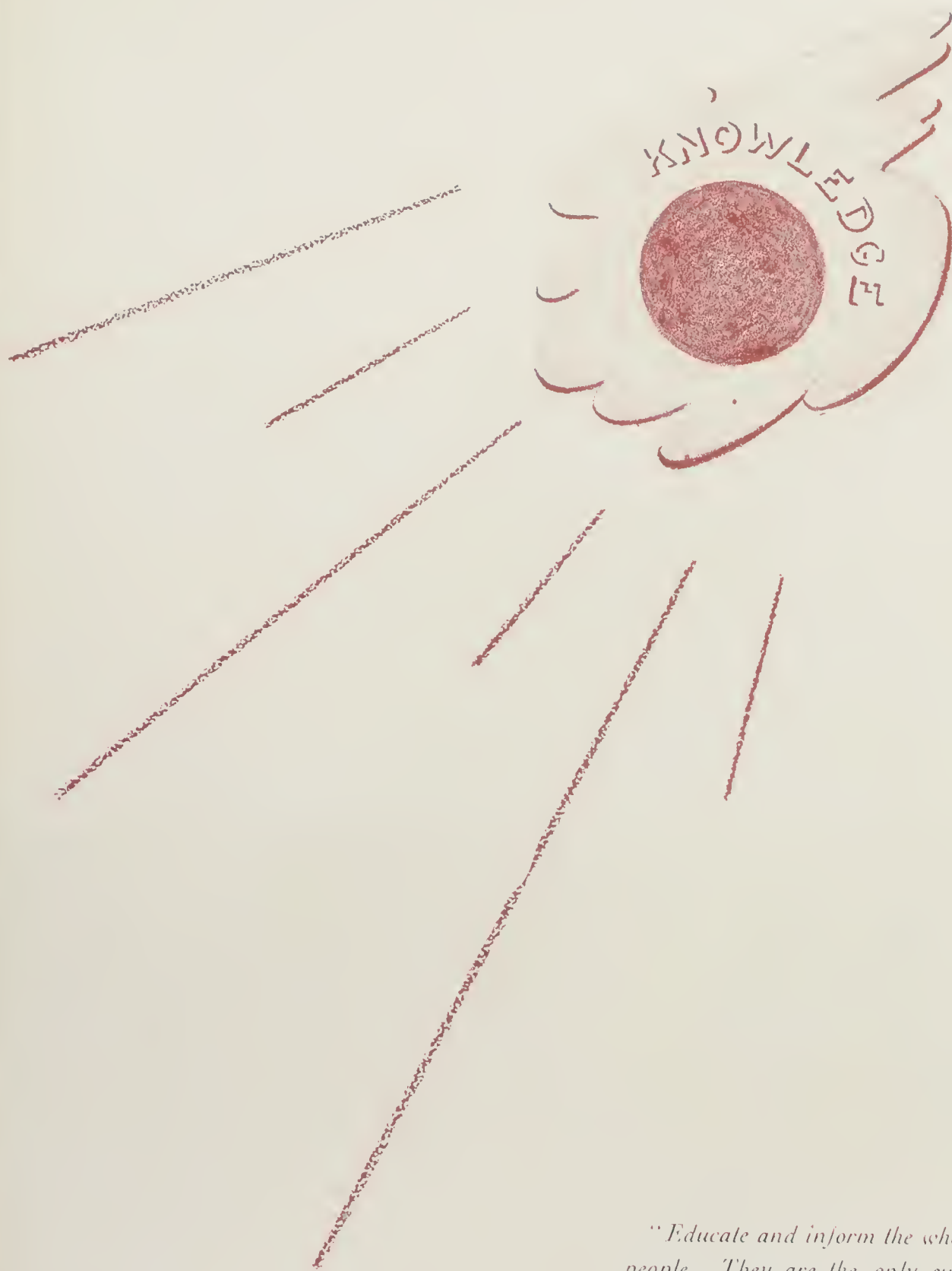
OF

MARPLE-NEWTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

LARCHMONT, PENNSYLVANIA







*"Educate and inform the whole mass of people. They are the only sure reliance for the preservation of our liberty."*

—THOMAS JEFFERSON.

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WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE  
CLASS OF 1941,

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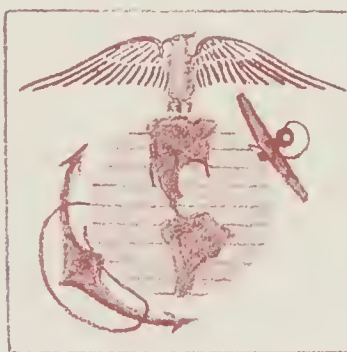
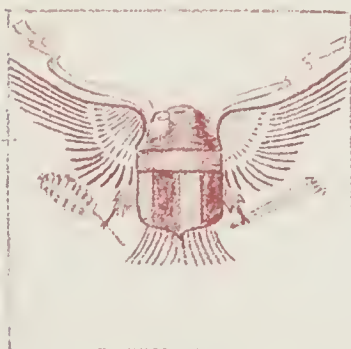
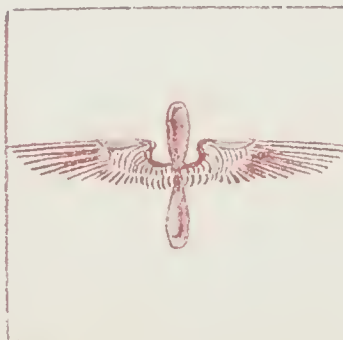
GEORGE A. TOMS

WHO CONTRIBUTED HIS BEST TO  
HIS CLASS, HIS SCHOOL, AND HIS COUNTRY.



## DEDICATION

TO THE men and women from our communities who have entered into the service of our country, who have put aside for the present, all the things they love best to fight for those things in all parts of the world, we dedicate this book with greetings and best wishes "from all of us to all of you."





# FOREWORD

In presenting to you MEMORIES OF 1943 the Senior Class has come up against many difficulties brought about by the war. Each hour we have spent on this yearbook will mean an hour in future years when we will recall our friendships, classes, athletics, and the never-to-be-forgotten days of our youth.

We are also endeavoring to show to you, our parents and friends, the different phases of our school life, and how each activity helps to endear to each student the right to "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness"—the heritage of every American.

## *To the Class of 1943:*

EVERY American high school will send out a graduating class this year into a world beset with war. Each member of these classes must remember that this great country of ours will need the best efforts of all citizens during these perilous times.

But keep this fact in mind. Love of country does not only mean the performance of spectacular deeds; it can also be shown in the everyday performance of our regular duties.

It is interesting to note that American history books are steadfastly devoting less space to war. This is due to a recognition of the fact that a country must be built up in times of peace, and that a study of peacetime activities will pay greater dividends than will a detailed study of war.

Let us all endeavor to profit from the lessons that our history books are striving to teach. We will then come to know that it is commendable to obey a traffic light, to pay our taxes, or to observe carefully any of the laws set up to preserve our common rights. In so doing we shall truly show ourselves to be citizens imbued with the highest ideals of patriotism.

Your sincere friend,

JAY W. WORRALL



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*“Proclaim Liberty throughout all the  
land unto all the inhabitants thereof.”*

—LEVITICUS 25:10.

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*MOTTO: "Live most and serve best"*

*FLOWER: White Rose*

*COLORS: Green and White*

MR. HARRY R. HARVEY

*Adviser*





WILLA



EDNAMAE

WILLA GLORIA AMADIO

*General*

Dolly is one of the hardest workers of the Senior Class. She was high salesman in our Christmas Card Drive by selling \$43.35 worth . . . cooperative spirit . . . red hair is supposed to signify a hot temper, but Dolly is an exception—you usually find her in a good humor and smiling.

Assistant Manager, Hockey 2; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Guild 3, 4; Art Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

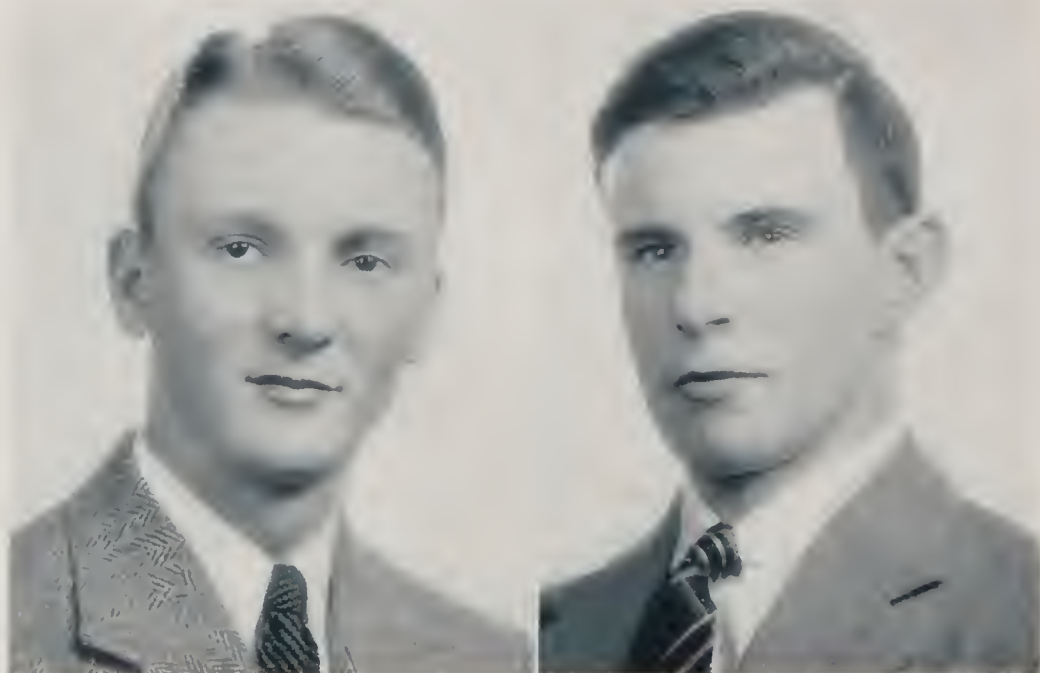
EDNAMAE GODSHALL

*Academic*

Ednamae seems to be very quiet and bashful in school, but we guess Bill has an altogether different story . . . neat . . . draws well . . . good typist . . . she plays the piano and clarinet. Interested in roller-skating and dances at the Y. M. C. A. Her chief interest outside of school lies in Georgia (and it isn't a peach, either).

Band 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus Pianist 3; *Mar-News* Staff 1; Music Club 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.





LEONARD



WENDELL

LEONARD CONRAD GRUPE . . . . . *Academic*

Polished shoes, good looks and any accent you want (particularly English) are all symbolical of Len. He has a special yearning for Frankie Carle recordings . . . our Master of Ceremonies . . . tall, liked by all, full of fun—he adds zest to boring classes (one of the reasons why teachers get gray).

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3; Track 2; Class Vice-President 3, 4; School Play 4; Operetta 2, 3; A. A. Council Treasurer 2, Vice-President 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Associate Editor, *Mar-News* Staff 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Dramatic Club 3; Ping-Pong Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; School Representative Media Rotary Club 4.

BOYD WENDELL HACKER . . . . . *General*

Wendell adds a Western touch to Marple-Newtown with his cowboy songs and guitar . . . winner of American Legion Award in Junior High . . . has a special fondness for Radnor girls . . . he very often can be seen racing (and we do mean racing) around in a snappy car, but he is always willing to use his precious gas for the school.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; A. A. Council President 4; Stage Guild 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.







JANE



BARBARA

JANE HANTMAN

*Academic*

Jane is good-natured, dependable, and thoughtful with a wonderful disposition. She likes Virginia, especially a certain military academy . . . full of fun . . . flowers in her hair . . . loves sundaes. Mr. Harvey will miss the way she dusted the desks in the Senior Room when Janie graduates.

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3; School Play Committee 4; *Mar-News* Staff 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Student Council 3.

BARBARA MARIE HERKE

*General*

Barbara is so quiet that we hardly know she is around . . . stays home from school on the slightest provocation. She has a flair for Art which we all envy . . . beautiful clothes . . . in her quiet way she is a friend to all.

Stage Guild 3, 4; Art Club 3; Study Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.





FRANCES



MARY

FRANCES JANE HILLIARD . . . . . *Commercial*

Frannie is usually seen working on bookkeeping before and after school. She's often seen with sailors and has a great interest in hockey . . . loves horses and bowling . . . straight forward . . . a very successful usherette . . . Frances is also very enthusiastic when interested in things.

Hockey 2, 3, 4; Letterman 4; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 2; Yearbook Staff 4; Fashion Show 3; Prem Committee 3; Leaders' Club 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

MARY ELIZABETH LEWIS . . . . . *Commercial*

Mary is our tiny and efficient treasurer. "Shorty" has usually been seen walking home from hockey practice and struggling with shorthand . . . corn-husking champion . . . ambitious, understanding, pleasant personality. She is often heard saying, "I must get the mail, because there might be a letter from Ken."

Hockey 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3, 4; Perfect Attendance 1; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 2; Yearbook Staff 4; Leaders' Club 3; Shop Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.





JEANNE



KATHERINE

JEANNE BURGESS LOOMIS . . .

*Academic*

Diminutive, dependable, devastating "Blondie" has a particular interest in certain Juniors and in sports . . . excels in basketball . . . good in everything. Will make a good Physical Education teacher . . . plans to continue her scholastic career at Ursinus. Loves dancing, particularly jitterbugging.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Letterman 3; Co-captain 4; Hockey 2, 3, 4; Letterman 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; School Play 2, 3, 4; Operetta 1, 2, 3; Southeastern District Chorus 2; A. A. Council Secretary 4; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 4; Cheerleader 4; *Mar-News*, Girls' Sport Editor 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Editor 4; Dancing Club 4; Dramatic Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Mathematics Tournament at Temple 2; Declamation Contest 3; Salutatorian.

KATHERINE E. McMILLEN . . .

*Academic*

Kitty transferred here from Haverford High for her Senior year. She's usually seen eating candy and heard talking about reducing . . . slow, vivid blush . . . remembers camp days . . . late book reports. She did a swell job on the property committee for the Senior Play.

School Play 4; Operetta 3; Southeastern District Chorus 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Swimming Club 3; Dramatic Club 2; Senior Ball Committee 4.







LEONARD



NORMA

LEONARD RICHARD McMONIGLE

*Academic*

Mac's peg pants, jitterbugging, and jeep (1929-Nash) will be remembered by everyone. He is never in his seat and loves to roam around the halls . . . likes gymnastics . . . you find Mac's books scattered throughout the school . . . knows all the latest dance steps and records. His good humor makes him a swell pal to everyone.

Senior Play 1, 2, 4; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Stage Guild 3; Dramatic Club 1, 3; Dancing Club 4; Chairman of Monitors 4; Golf Team 2, 3; Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

NORMA ARLENE MICHENER

*Commercial*

Norma has a quiet dignity and reserve and is extremely conscientious. The class treasury increased while she was Sergeant-at-Arms . . . member of Senior Trio . . . winner of American Legion Award . . . hair curls when it rains . . . active church member. Her biggest romance concerned our ninth grade class president.

Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; *Mar-News* Staff Reporter 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Fashion Show 3; Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 3, 4; Vocal Trio 3, 4, Honor Student







JEAN



MARY LOU

JEAN ANNE MOORE . . . . . *Commercial*

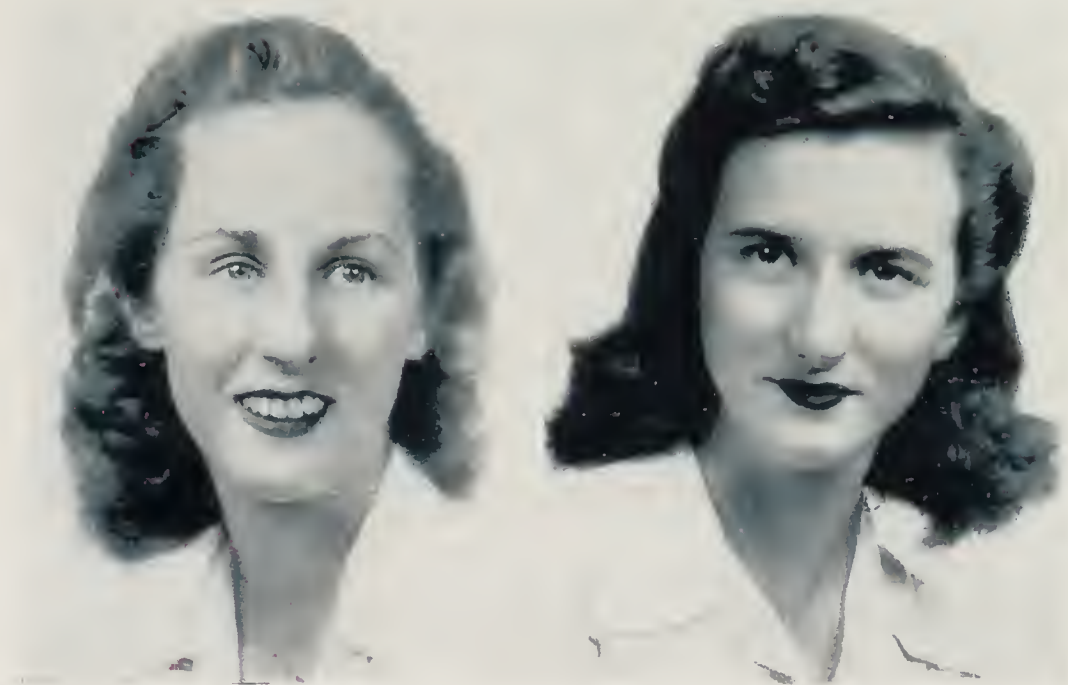
With her eyes sparkling, she is always ready for fun . . . tiny . . . blonde . . . flighty . . . she's usually the center of any clowning antics . . . one of the high salesmen in our Junior Magazine Drive. Jean is a very hard worker, and it is rumored that she usually thinks of Harold.

Operetta 2, 3; Chorus 2; Cheerleader 1, 3; Yearbook Staff 4.

MARY LOUISE MUEHLMATT . . . . . *Commercial*

Mary rates high in all her studies but still finds time to think of "Charlie" . . . played center half on the hockey team . . . makes most of her clothes . . . full of fun . . . dependability is one of her many characteristics. Any boss will be lucky to have Mary as his secretary.

Hockey 1, 3, 4; Letterman 4; Guard of Honor 3; *Mar-News* Staff Typist 4; Yearbook Staff Associate Editor 4; Fashion Show 3; Prom Committee 3; Leaders' Club 3; Dancing Club 4; Typing Awards 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 1; Senior Ball Committee 4; Valedictorian.





KATHERINE



JOHN

KATHERINE CLAIR O'BRIEN

*Commercial*

Kitty is our Irish songbird. To add to her beautiful smile, she has a marvelous voice. We won't easily forget the way she sang "My Hero" . . . peppy cheerleader . . . memories of fiery Senior class meetings . . . Kitty becomes dreamy-eyed when she hears the song, "At Last" . . . we wonder why?

Track 2; School Play 2, 3, 4; Opretha 1, 2, 3; Southeastern District Chorus 2, 3; A. A. Council 1, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; *Mar-News* Staff 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Declamation Contest 2; State Chorus 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Prom Committee 3; Dramatic Club 3; Dancing Club 4; Vocal Trio 3, 4.

JOHN PLANK

*Commercial*

Johnnie seems to be a whiz at shorthand . . . works in the Hardware Store . . . candy manager . . . Miss Yeingst had to explain the Yearbook jokes to him (We knew they were bad, but not that bad, Johnnie!). Outside of his romance in his Sophomore year he has been very girl-shy.

Basketball 1; Baseball 1, 2, Letterman 1; Perfect Attendance 1, 2; Guard of Honor 3; *Mar-News* Staff 3; Sales Manager 4; Stage Guild 3, 4; Art Club 3; Ping-Pong Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Yearbook Staff 4.





VIOLA



DOROTHY

VIOLA SMITH

*Commercial*

She usually enters school at one minute to nine . . . angelic face but oh, how differently her thoughts run! Another blonde of our class . . . remembers fun at the candy table as assistant manager . . . likes roller-skating . . . she reminisces of her past love affair with "Johnnie."

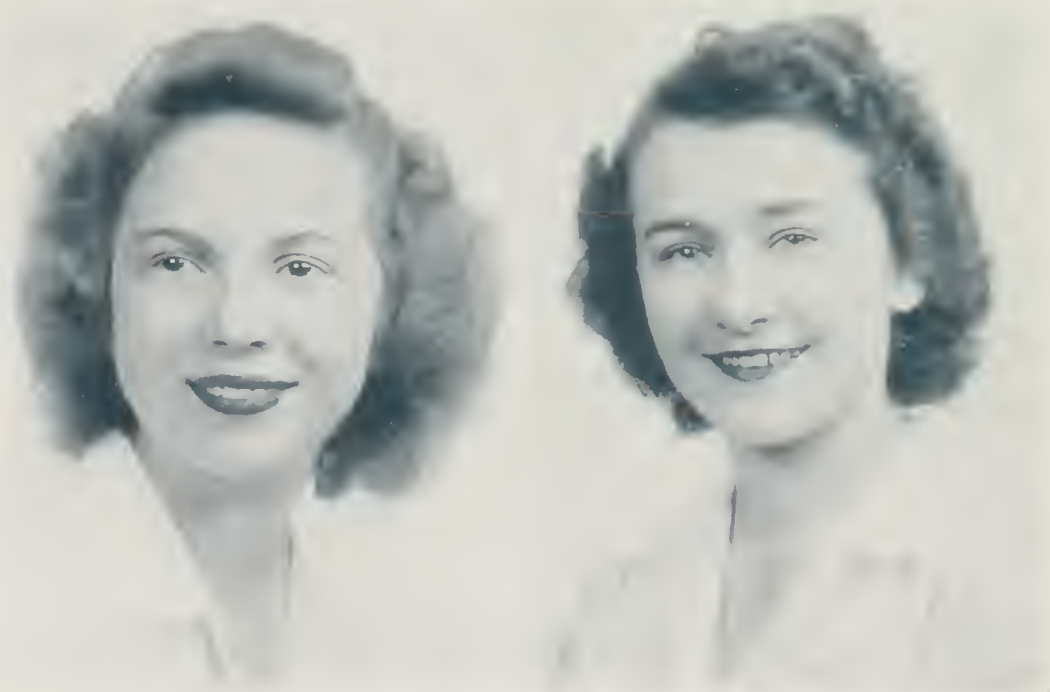
Fashion Show 5; Prom Committee 3; Bible Club 3; Book Club 1; Senior Ball Committee 4; Assistant Sales Manager of Candy Table 4.

DOROTHY MAE STEWART

*Commercial*

Smiling, cheerful, and friendly, Dot is bound to succeed. One of the things she'll be remembered for is her ability to imitate "Beatrice Kay" . . . hair bows . . . talking of her sailor boy . . . she's been a dependable secretary and a willing worker.

Secretary 3, 4; Operetta 3; Perfect Attendance 1, 2; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; *Mar-News* Staff 2, 4; Sales Manager Magazine Drive 3; Associate Editor of Yearbook 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Vocal Trio 3, 4; Leaders' Club 3.







JAMES



FRANCES

JAMES C. VAN RODEN . . . . . *Academic*

Jimmie is the "Romeo" of the class. When it comes to girls, his motto is, "Variety is the spice of life." Happy-go-lucky . . . if the night were six months long, Jim would still sleep in English class . . . long eyelashes . . . swell friend. He's also a "solid sender on the sax."

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 4; Track 2; Orchestra 2, 3; Perfect Attendance 1, 2; Yearbook Staff 4; Gym Club 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.

FRANCES ELLEN WANDLING . . . . . *General*

Frances with her dark eyes and long hair has a great interest in service men (especially for the Naval Air Corps and Jack) . . . attractive . . . loves jewelry . . . talkative in Mr. Harvey's room . . . spends a good deal of her time writing letters. Usually seen wearing Army, Navy, and Marine insignia (at the same time).

Operetta 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Guild 1; Shop Club 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.





ELIZABETH



BETTY

E. ELIZABETH WARNER

*Academic*

Betsy chatters incessantly and will always add life to any party . . . loves new clothes and ice-skating . . . proved to be a very successful editor of the *Mar-News*. She has a special interest in sailors (by the name of Craig) . . . good volleyball player . . . Betsy intends to take up Social Service Work at Stephens College next year.

Hockey 2, 4, Letterman 4; Class Secretary 3; School Play 3; Operetta 2, 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 1; *Mar-News* Staff 2, 3, 4, Editor 4; Year-book Staff 4; Dramatic Club 3; Dancing Club 4; Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Honor Student.

BETTY EVANS WILDS

*General*

We can quite often find Betty doing her work quietly . . . reserved . . . she takes great pride in the appearance of her hair . . . good posture . . . neat . . . her thoughts often run to an Army camp.

Perfect Attendance 1, 2; Chorus 2; Shop Club 3; Study Club 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.





PALMER



THOMAS

PALMER WOODCOCK

*Academic*

Palmer is one of the more quiet members of our class, but he has been a very successful class president . . . bashful, or don't we know? . . . a man's man . . . one of the last to leave a test. He'll always remember the \$25 War Bond he won for his essay, "First Class Township vs. Second Class Township."

Football 4; Letterman 4; Basketball 1, 2, Timekeeper 4; Class President 2, 3, 4; Operetta 2, 3; Guard of Honor 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Staff 4; Science Club 3; Ping-Pong Club 4; Declamation Contest 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4.

THOMAS ROBERT MANTON

*General*

Tom was a member of our class up to January when he left to join the armed forces. He was always on hand to hook up the lights for our dances . . . handled the recording machine . . . member of the Stage Guild. Tom's dependability and electrical knowledge will help him in any branch of the service.

Stage Guild 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Ball Committee 4; Operetta 3; Play 4.





## CLASS WILL

DOT STEWART leaves her Floradora voice to Beatrice Kay who, we hope, will find a place for it.

John Plank leaves his questions to Professor Quiz, but it's our wager the dear professor soon becomes weary of them.

To Abbott and Costello's "Who Done It" go Leonard Grupe's everlasting protests of innocence.

Frances Wandling leaves her perfect attendance records to Bill Warner.

Jeanne Loomis leaves her dependability to Anna Ivins who has done a good job in past Junior projects.

Frances Hilliard leaves her influence on the "gobs" to Frank Knox.

Norma Michener leaves her scholastic smartness to the brightest of the Quiz Kids—if there could be such a thing.

To posterity go Edna Mae Godshall's quiet but nice ways.

Palmer Woodcock leaves his ever-increasing "personal directory" to Bill English, the "Romeo" of the Junior Class. "Pres" has added a good deal of new ones this season from what we hear.

Wendell Hacker leaves his driving technique to the automobile that can take it and his super (?) salesmanship to Charles Schnerr.

To Elaine Patton—Betsy Warner leaves the *Mar-News*' responsibility to keep in touch with service men. Especially the French fleet!

Jane Hantman leaves her memories of Pittsburgh to a staunch Broomallite.

To Nancy Rinehart go Mary Lewis' best wishes for "Smooth flying and sailing with the Navy."

"Mac" leaves his "peg pants" to Wynn Lewis and his 37 houses to the F. H. A.

Viola Smith asks that her "5 minutes of 9-itis" be left to someone who can afford a Big Ben.

Jim van Roden has donated his "wolfish ways" to Alan Reeve. Jimmie won't have much chance to use them next year anyway but on Open Post—Watch his dust!

Jean Moore leaves her winsome way with Uncle Harry to Elva Troupe who may need it by next year.

Mary Lou Muchlmatt leaves her nimble fingers to Ruth Stone to use on the keyboard next year.

Kitty McMillen asks that the Candy Table be left to anyone who wants it, providing she is not too "light-fingered."

Kitty O'Brien bequeaths her Irish temper to anyone who is able to cope with it.

To Doris Stowers or Lester Downs—Barbara Herke leaves her artistic ability.

Dolly Amadio leaves her cheerful disposition and flaming hair to Gloria Gorsuch who has the same qualities.

Betty Wilds leaves her advice to the Class of 1944—"Keep up the good work and be a good class like the one of 1945."

The Seniors leave their great extravagance and many expenditures to the Class of 1944.

The Senior girls leave their athletic championships to the Class of 1945.





## STEPPING INTO SENIORS' SHOES

THIS year's Junior Class can look back over a year of many successful activities. Their first venture was a Hallowe'en party which proved to be a success while providing a good time. With Miss Yeingst's help and guidance, a very profitable magazine drive was held. The net profit to the Class of 1944 was \$236, made possible largely by hard work and cooperation. A less successful drive was held later in the year, netting \$16.45.

The Juniors are justly proud of the large part they played in school athletics. Their quota was more than exceeded in regard to supplying material for the various teams. Again this year the intramural boys' basketball championship went to the Class of 1944. Assembly programs, class meetings, and other affairs rounded out our school year.

As a climax to the entire year, the Junior Prom was held on May 21. Jimmy Reid and his orchestra provided fine music, and other entertainers performed during the intermission. The work of many committees and class enthusiasm made the dance an event to remember.



MISS HELEN E. YEINGST

*Adviser*

# THE JUNIORS

*MOTTO: "Set your course and sail"*

*FLOWERS: Red and White Carnations*

*COLORS: Red and White*

*President*

PAUL PFLUEGER

*Vice-President*

HAROLD PEIRCE

*Secretary*

ANNA IVINS

*Treasurer*

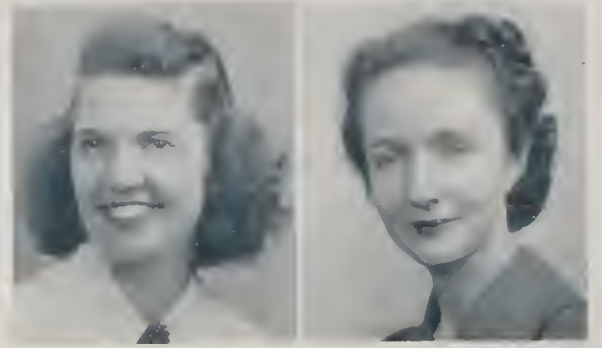
EMILIE STOTT



MRS. ELIZABETH CONWELL

MRS. FLODA GUINIVAN

*Advisers*



# SOPHOMORES

*MOTTO: "Our loyalty weighs high from sand to sky"*

*FLOWER: Red Rose*

*COLORS: Blue and Sand*



*President*

PARKER HARLOW

*Vice-President*

RICHARD KERBER

*Secretary*

JACQUELINE SPIKER

*Treasurer*

JANE HUNTER



## SOPHOMORES PREPARE FOR NEXT YEAR

JUDGING by the excellent results the Sophomores have acquired in all their activities, our class should be very successful through the coming year. The Sophomore Hop, as an example of an activity, brought in an unbelievable sum of money, which was turned over to the Athletic Council for arranging facilities for us.

This year the Sophs went all out for Defense! An exciting War Bond Drive, in which we sold over \$500 worth of Bonds and Stamps, was one of our many contributions for National Defense.

The Sophomores have certainly proved that "Their loyalty weighs high from sand to sky."





## FROSH, GREEN BUT GROWING

IT IS becoming more evident as our school years go by that our class will be fighting for Marple-Newtown as far as sports are concerned. Representatives from the Class of '46 were on every team our school had. The baseball team was formed entirely of freshman boys.

The field of sports was not the only one in which our class participated. At Christmas our assembly program and play gave us a lot of fun.

Members of the Freshman Class were also active in music and on the *Mar-News'* staff.

Our guidance programs were of a varied nature, but the latter part of the year was devoted to vocational study.

Our ninth year has been fun, but we are looking forward to bigger and better things to come!



MISS HELEN E. DECKER

MR. SAMUEL LENGEL

*Advisers*

# THE FRESHMEN

*MOTTO: "We build the ladder on which we climb"*

*FLOWER: Gardenia*

*COLORS: Blue and Silver*

*President*

ROBERT WOODCOCK

*Vice-President*

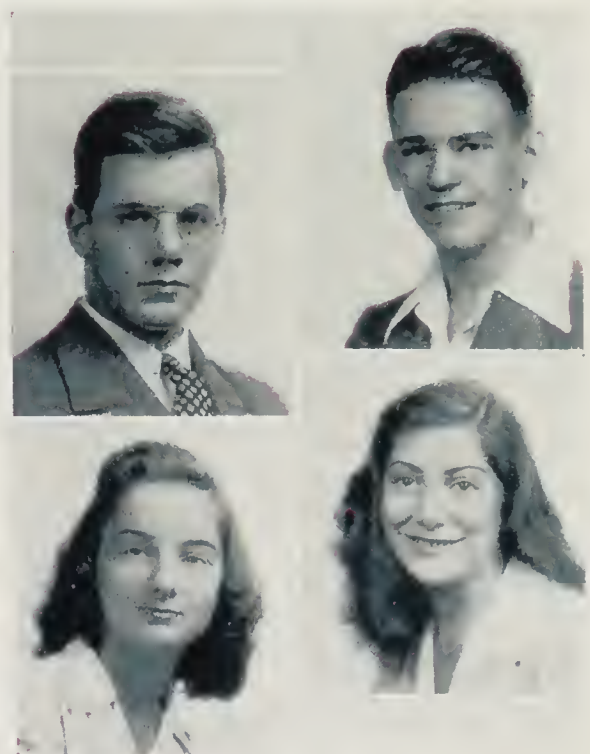
GLENN KENDALL

*Secretary*

MARY PEIRCE

*Treasurer*

VIOLA DE VITO





## PEPPY EIGHTH GRADERS

IT HAS been a rather hard but very interesting year for the eighth grade classes. Our new teacher, Miss Wenzell, did much to further our enjoyment by coaching and directing our super assembly programs, which no one will forget. Entering eighth grade sounded promising and proved to be so. Everybody turned out for our intramural games and cheered and shouted till they brought us to victory.

What fun we had planning parties, debates, and experiments together!

This year more than any other year we lost and gained many teachers. Mr. Rahn left, and Miss Ellis came from Springfield to take his place. Our only regret is that Miss Ellis can't coach football.

As the school year comes to an end, we, the ninth grade candidates are waiting for report cards to "ring out the old year and ring in the new."



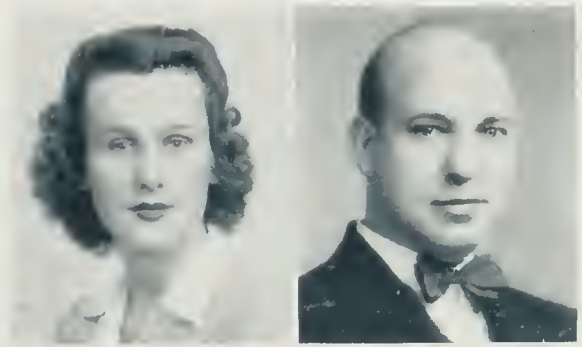
MRS. ALICE B. HOOPES

MISS MARGRETTA WENZELL

*Advisers*



MRS. RUTH G. HOCH  
MR. EDGAR W. RAFFENSPERGER  
*Advisers*



## SEVENTH GRADERS LOOK AHEAD

OUR first year in junior high opened a new world to us! Sports, dances, parties, plays, gym, home economics, shop—everything is so new to us. In junior high we are no longer watched over by our teachers. We are old enough to be free, and conduct ourselves. But the work is different and harder.

Our guidance periods are made interesting by our own program committees. Our assembly programs are decided upon by our committees. We have traded in hide-go-seek and racing tag for baseball and basketball. Yes, we are in junior high!

But to get to our entertainment, two plays have been given this year—"Der Fuehrer's Face" by the 7A, and "The Parade of the Months" by 7B. Both were very well planned and successfully given.



# ROLL CALL

NAME	AMBITION	USUALLY SEEN
WILLA AMADIO.....	Nurse	With Jean
EDNAMEE GODSHALL.....	Wife	Thinking of Bill
LEONARD GRUPE.....	Business executive	First in Cafeteria
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FRANCES HILLIARD.....	Interior decorator	Machine room
MARY LEWIS.....	Wife	Writing checks
JEANNE LOOMIS.....	Physical Ed. teacher	Doing everything
KATHERINE McMILLEN.....	Teacher	At candy table
LEONARD McMONIGLE.....	Business executive	In peg pants
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JOHN PLANK.....	Commercial work	Doing shorthand
VIOLA SMITH.....	Secretary	Not before 9
DOROTHY STEWART.....	Successful stenog	Reading letters
JAMES VAN RODEN.....	Engineer	Hour after school
FRANCES WANDLING.....	Nurse	Sporting new ring
BETSY WARNER.....	Social worker	Talking
BETTY WILDS.....	Salesgirl	Studying
PALMER WOODCOCK.....	Business executive	Conducting meetings

# ROLL CALL

FAVORITE EXPRESSION	MEMORIES	EDITOR'S NOTE
"Oh, I don't know."	High salesman	Good disposition
"Oh, gee!"	Trip to Georgia	Quiet
"I didn't do it!"	Plays	Talented
"Cheese and crackers!"	His guitar	Cheerful
"Hiya, handsome!"	Class of '41	Ideal friend
"Do your P. O. D., Jean?"	Best dressed girl	Artistic
"Bla . . ."	Hockey	Willing worker
"Got a letter from Ken."	Treasurer of class	Short and sweet
"Harry said . . .?"	Plays	Pretty and efficient
"Be quiet!"	Hurrying to class	Hard worker
"Square!"	Night of the Opera	Good sport
"Dear Sir:"	Graduation	Ambitious
"Where's Dolly?"	Prom with Harold	Witty
"Oh John, be quiet!"	Arguments with Plankie	Efficient
"Do, re, me . . ."	Cheerleading and operettas	Smiling
"Repeat that, please."	Only boy in class of ten.	Intelligent
"Better late than never."	Passing shorthand	Angelic
"I'll take the Navy."	Last minute homework	Capable worker
"Hmm, not bad, eh, Mac?"	All the girls	Successful soldier
"Last night, Jack . . ."	Letters	Pretty
"He makes me <i>mad!</i> "	<i>Mar-News</i> editor	Talkative but nice
"Oh, yeah!"	5:50 P. M.	Neat
"It seems to me . . ."	Class president	Dignified



*"The earth belongs, always, to the living generation. They may manage it then and what proceeds from it as they please during their usufruct. They are masters, too, of their own persons and consequently may govern them as they please."*

—JEFFERSON IN LIBRARY  
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# ACTIVITIES





## MAR-NEWS

THE *Mar-News* staff to date has published six editions. This past year showed there was a large increase in the advertising and the circulation of the paper which helped the financial status a great deal. Under the leadership of the editor, Betsy Warner, more editorials appeared, Katty Korner was written in new and various forms, and the news in the Service Men's column was eagerly awaited.

We have uncovered many hidden talents in the writings of people who put their achievements in the Suggestion Box. Particularly from the lower grades this year there have been many humorous and interesting articles.

Often there is no "dummy" made, so the editor and the associates spend many study periods working that out. Also, much time is given up by the typists in order that the paper "go to press" at the deadline time.

We express our hope that, in the future, the paper will continue to be a good example of outside activities.



## ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION COUNCIL

THIS year the Athletic Association Council has more or less acted as a Student Council. The athletic coaches, some faculty members, and representatives from each homeroom make up the council. Our annual bake was not held, but through donations made by friends of the school we netted \$260.94, the largest amount ever to be realized through solicitations.

The Athletic Association Council sponsored the sale of War Bonds and Stamps in the cafeteria every day and set aside every Friday as "War Stamp Day." This drive met with fine response from the student body.

For the first time in the history of Marple-Newtown, recording dances have been held after school for the benefit of the Athletic Association Council.

The members of the Athletic Association Council for 1942-43 were: President, Wendell Hacker; Vice-President, Elaine Patton; Secretary, Jeanne Loomis; Treasurer, Richard Kerber; Katherine O'Brien, Harold Peirce, Phyllis Mason, Roland Swain, and Lois Troupe.







## “AND THE BAND PLAYED ON”

THE Marple-Newtown Band, in its second year of existence, emerged at the football games with hats and jerseys as their first uniforms. Although the band did not make the appearance of other high schools, everyone liked their spirit and enthusiasm, which typify good old Marple-Newtown.

The need for the band as a morale builder in high school and community life has been felt; thus the members are encouraged to continue through the spring and summer months.

Band members are: Base horn, Robert Spiller, Clarence Sargent; trumpet, John Flood, Robert Harris, Ralph Taylor, George Seely, Elaine Schneck, Muriel Heppensall, Gladys Grover, Barbara Peters; clarinet, Miriam Hipple, Nancy Rinehart, Betty Fox, Harry Gorman, William Hipple; cymbals, Ada Hancock; snare drum, Donald Look, Martin Lyons; base drum, Joseph Bachtler; French horn, Helen Blosenski, Jane Hunter; baton twirlers, Lois Troupe, Lois Robinson, Josephine Wagner, Louise Boyajian, Carol Hall; drum majorette, Irene Melhuish.







## ORCHESTRA

THIS year our Orchestra has reduced its numbers in an effort to improve its quality and repertoire. The main additions to the orchestra are the bass viol and the 'cello. Among the various appearances, the orchestra participated in a very successful exchange assembly program with Ellis College. This new idea was so well received, we hope that it will continue through the years.

Mr. Lewis, our director, has greatly improved the string ensemble which is part of the orchestra. This group had the privilege of playing at the Spring Meeting of the Delaware County Teachers' Association in the Upper Darby Junior High School, April 14.





## “THE PLAY’S THE THING”

Marple-Newtown High School staged a very successful play entitled “Life Begins at Sixteen,” a comedy of youth in three acts, under the capable direction of Charles M. Snyder. The cast included:

<i>Paul Hollis</i> . . . . .	Frank Augustine
<i>Hilda</i> . . . . .	Betty Taylor
<i>Mrs. Jesse Hollis</i> . . . . .	Doris Stowers
<i>Harry Hollis</i> . . . . .	Leonard Grupe
<i>Frannie Hollis</i> . . . . .	Jeanne Loomis
<i>Marjorie Hollis</i> . . . . .	Kitty O'Brien
<i>Crandall Smythe</i> . . . . .	Leonard McMonigle
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<i>Fattie Zimmer</i> . . . . .	Joseph Peters
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<i>Boots Bennett</i> . . . . .	Ruth Stone
<i>Elsie Taggart</i> . . . . .	Kay Friedrich



## SIS! BOOM! AH!

UNDER the leadership of Kitty O'Brien, captain, our cheerleaders have really "raised the roof" this season. For a number of years we have had capable cheer leaders but none so peppy as these. Their untiring efforts and boundless energy have really kept the spectators as well as the players on their toes. Let's keep those colors flying!

Some of our peppy representatives are: Jean Moore and Jeanne Loomis, Seniors; Doris Stowers and Frank Augustine, Juniors; Phil De Vito and Jane Stover, Sophomores; and Viola De Vito, Freshman.







# WEDNESDAY MORNING AT NINE

1. Library Club
2. Gym Club
3. Home Nursing Club
4. Bible Club
5. Oomph girls
6. Future scientists
7. Junior Thespians
8. Puppet Club
9. Puzzle Club
10. Fire Fighters
11. Ping-Pong Experts
12. Shop Club
13. They trip the light fantastic
14. Culinary artists

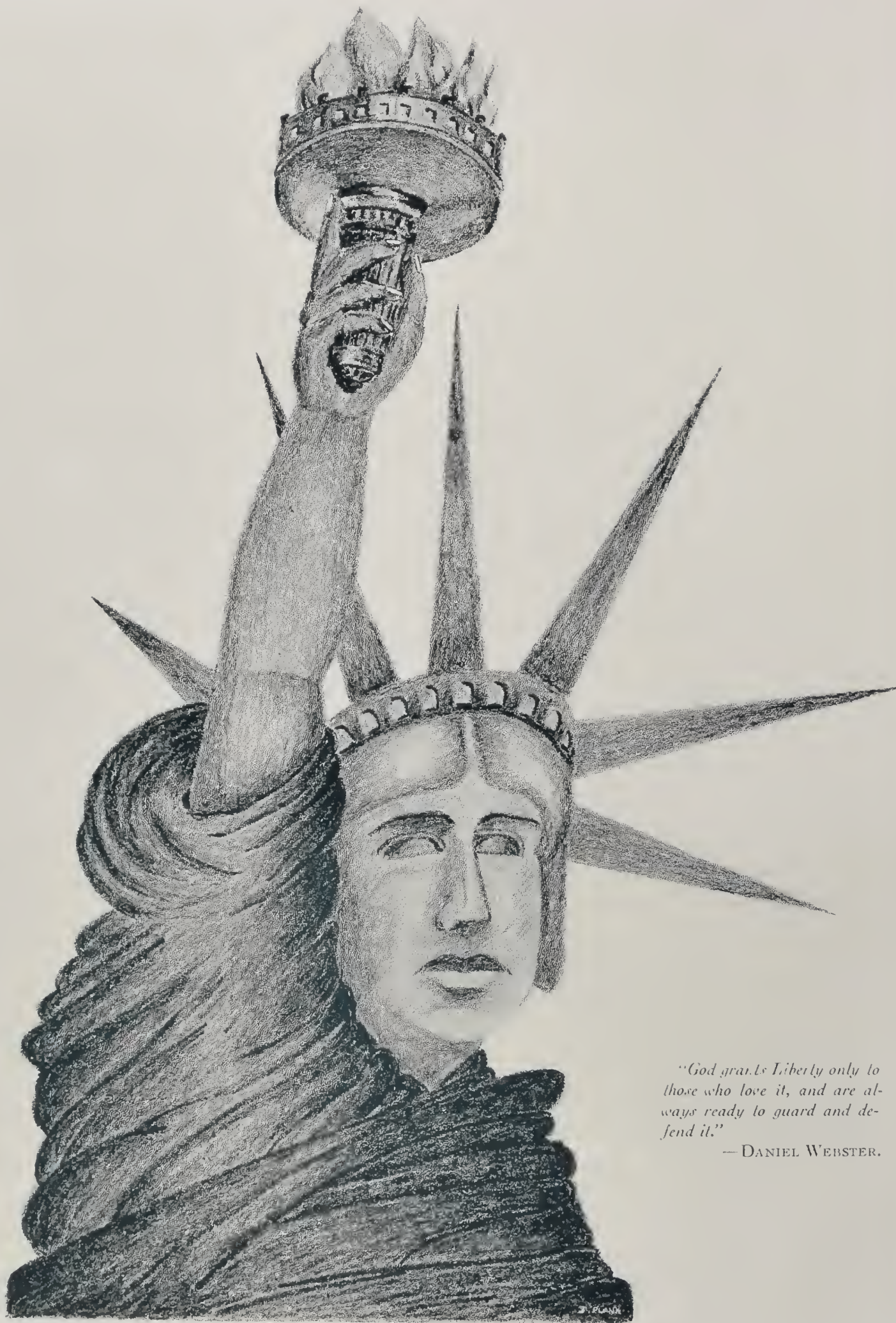




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 Up and at 'em  
 Meet our captain  
 Smeared again  
 Hopeful  
 Get your man  
 M N scores again  
 Rogues' Gallery  
 Meet the Tigers  
 Two points for whom  
 How could he miss it  
 Put 'em up  
 Tieball





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those who love it, and are al-  
ways ready to guard and de-  
fend it."*

— DANIEL WEBSTER.



# WEARERS OF COVETED M-N

The Varsity Club consists of members of varsity teams who have won their letters during the season of 1942-43.

## FOOTBALL

Palmer Woodcock	Jack Erdman
Wendell Hacker	Paul Pflueger
William Warner	William Brewer (Captain)
Harold Peirce	Parker Harlow
Newton Kerber	Domenic Civitella
Holland Connor (Manager)	

## HOCKEY

Jeanne Loomis	Elaine Patton (Captain)
Betsy Warner	Ada Hancock
Mary Lou Muehlmann	Florence Carson
Frances Hilliard	Miriam Hipple
Mary Lewis	Viola De Vito

## BOYS' BASKETBALL

Bruce Powersock	Newton Kerber
Harold Peirce	

## GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Jeanne Loomis	Helen Blossenski
Ada Hancock	Betty Taylor (Manager)
Anna Blossenski	Elaine Patton





## DIFFICULT YEAR WITH THE PIGSKIN

THOUGH the gridiron season of 1942 could not be called successful as far as scoring goes, it provided the boys with a fine opportunity to become acquainted with Mr. Lengel, their new coach, and gain valuable playing experience. The team at all times displayed the clean sportsmanship and courage for which our school is noted. The fighting spirit of the "Tigers" was ever evident along with their ability to capitalize on previous mistakes.

We will have practically the same team next year with the exception of P. Woodcock and W. Hacker whom we lose through graduation.

The lettermen include P. Woodcock, Warner, Peirce, N. Kerber, Erdman, Pflueger, Harlow, Civitella, Connor (manager), Brewer (captain).

The Junior High team played two games and won both. This was done through fine teamwork and timely running by Joe Nask.



### FOOTBALL SCORES OF 1942

Sharon Hill . . . . .	27	M-N . . . . .	0
Swarthmore . . . . .	44	M-N . . . . .	0
North Coventry . . . . .	32	M-N . . . . .	0
Spring City . . . . .	14	M-N . . . . .	0
M-N A. C. . . . .	27	M-N . . . . .	0
Springfield . . . . .	36	M-N . . . . .	0





## HOCKEY TEAMS WIELD THE STICKS

THE girls of Marple-Newtown entered into the spirit of the hockey games with enthusiasm this year. Worn-out shoe leather, bumps on the shins, and breathlessness were of little importance to the girls when balanced against the joy of playing. This year the hockey team, played first team games, and although they won only one game, the experience gained is sure to prove valuable next year.

In reality, the final scores tell but part of the story of the spirit of the Marple-Newtown lassies faced with continuous losses. "For when the one Great Scorer comes to write against your name, He writes not that you won or lost, but how you played the game"





## COURT TOSSERS HAVE FAIR SEASON

MARPLE-NEWTOWN'S basketball quartet was seemingly jinxed this season by illness, and there were few games when the team played intact. Our boys fought to their utmost and several times gained victory in the closing seconds of play. The team was made up principally of Juniors who should be all the better next year for their experience gained.

The Junior Varsity had a better time of it, since they won six games and lost nine. The young team, consisting mainly of freshmen, played outstanding ball and lost several games by only a few points.

Those who won letters were Bruce Bowersock, Newton Kerber, and Harold Peirce.

### SCORES

Media . . . . . 28	Marple-Newtown . . . 27	Yeadon . . . . . 28	Marple-Newtown . . . 20
St. Katherine . . . . . 16	Marple-Newtown . . . 26	Conshohocken . . . . . 49	Marple-Newtown . . . 17
Sharon Hill . . . . . 58	Marple-Newtown . . . 19	Sharon Hill . . . . . 35	Marple-Newtown . . . 24
Springfield . . . . . 54	Marple-Newtown . . . 14	Springfield . . . . . 51	Marple-Newtown . . . 19
Clifton Heights . . . . . 44	Marple-Newtown . . . 17	Clifton Heights . . . . . 33	Marple-Newtown . . . 19
St. Agnes . . . . . 48	Marple-Newtown . . . 24	Alumni . . . . . 27	Marple-Newtown . . . 24
St. Katherine . . . . . 27	Marple-Newtown . . . 28	St. Agnes . . . . . 36	Marple-Newtown . . . 25
Conshohocken . . . . . 28	Marple-Newtown . . . 31	Yeadon . . . . . 42	Marple-Newtown . . . 15



# BOUNCE AND SHOOT

THE GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM, under the leadership of coaches, Miss Rachel Brinton and Mrs. Elizabeth Conwell, and co-captains, Elaine Patton and Jeanne Loomis, was not extremely successful this year. The Marple-Newtown lassies played hard and showed improvement in each game. With the experience gained, next year's season seems to have possibilities. Jeanne Loomis is the only member of the squad who will be lost through graduation.

We were all sorry to see Miss Brinton leave in the midst of the season to become a member of the WAAC, but Mrs. Conwell took over her jobs very capably and deserves a great deal of credit.

The lettermen for 1942-1943 season include: Guards, Elaine Patton, Ada Hancock; Forwards, Anna Blosenski, Helen Blosenski, Jeanne Loomis; and Manager, Betty Taylor.

## SCORES

Yeadon . . . . .	40	Ma.ple-Newtown . .	13
Prospect Park . . . .	35	Marple-Newtown . .	22
Ellis College . . . . .	12	Marple-Newtown . .	10
Clifton Heights . . .	12	Marple-Newtown . .	10
Springfield . . . . .	53	Marple-Newtown . .	13
Swarthmore . . . . .	17	Marple-Newtown . .	22
Radnor . . . . .	27	Marple-Newtown . .	16











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1. Another "Quiz Kid"
2. Watching the Thanksgiving Day game
3. Repair job
4. Shop enthusiasts
5. Christmas fun
6. Smiling seniors sell sweets
7. After the play at Gloria's
8. Problems in Algebra
9. Dot and dash class
10. Samuel Spivens
11. Meet the bride and groom
12. Dreaming as usual
13. One of our artists
14. Apple polishers
15. Elm City five
16. One of Augie's catches



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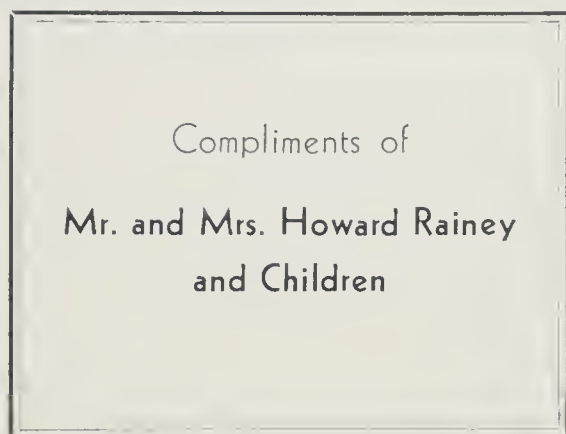
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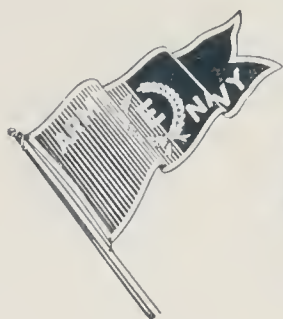
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